6.8 Grooming

Brushing teeth, washing hands and face. Due to variations in hair care by culture, length of hair, etc, hair care is not considered for the purposes of this screen.

0-6 mos	7-12 mos	13-18 mos	19-24 mos	25-36 mos	3-4 yrs	4-6 yrs	6-9 yrs	9-13 yrs	14-17 yrs	18 yrs +	☑ Indicates that the item on the functional screen should be checked. ◎ Indicates that the item on the functional screen should NOT be checked.
•	•	•	•	•							Not applicable for the purposes of this screen. This option does not appear on the functional screen because young children are expected to require assistance in this category.
					•	•	•	•	•	•	Is combative during grooming tasks (e.g., flails, clamps mouth shut, takes two caregivers to accomplish task). ☑ Exhibits avoidance behavior that is extreme and requires atypical intervention. ☑ Needs one caregiver to hold them while another completes the task. ③ Runs around the house to avoid grooming tasks. ⑤ Doesn't like grooming tasks and fusses a bit, but not more than some peers.
						•					Unable to wash hands. ☑ Has picture cards or other visual cues and requires assistance from others to use the cues to complete the process. ☑ Unable to turn on the faucet, apply soap, and rinse hands under the water. ② Unable to select an appropriate water temperature. ③ Independently uses picture cards or other visual cues to complete the process.
							•				Unable to wash hands or face. ☑ Unable to turn on the faucet, apply soap, and rinse hands under the water. ☑ Unable to wash face using a wash cloth. ⑤ Unable to select an appropriate water temperature.
							•	•	•	•	Needs physical help with grooming. ☑ Needs parent/caregiver to brush teeth. ☑ Needs parent/caregiver to wash hands. ☑ Needs parent/caregiver to wash face.
							•	•	•	•	Needs step-by-step cueing during grooming tasks. ☑ Needs someone with them throughout the grooming process telling them each step of the process. ☑ Needs step-by-step cueing to brush teeth. ☑ Needs step-by-step cueing to wash hands. ☑ Needs step-by-step cueing to wash face. ☑ Needs reminders to groom self.

